

## UTAH STATE SENATE

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## Mr. President:

The Education Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **S.B. 39**, MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE, AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION TASK FORCE, by Senator H. Stephenson, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Lines 36 through 48:
  - 36 (1) There is created the Mathematics, Science, and Technology Education Task Force
  - 37 consisting of the following {17} members:
  - 38 (a) five members of the Senate appointed by the president of the Senate, no more than
  - 39 three of whom may be from the same political party;
  - 40 (b) seven members of the House of Representatives appointed by the speaker of the
  - 41 <u>House of Representatives, no more than five of whom may be from the same political</u> party;
  - 42 (c) the governor or the governor's designee;
  - 43 (d) two members from the State Board of Education, appointed by the president of the
  - 44 <u>Senate and speaker of the House of Representatives, in consultation with the State Board</u> of
  - 45 Education; {-and-}
  - 46 (e) two local board of education members, one from an urban school district and one
  - 47 <u>from a rural school district, appointed by the president of the Senate and speaker of the House</u>

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48 of Representatives, in consultation with the Utah School Boards Association {-}

(f) two employers who rely on employees with math or science competency, appointed by the president of the Senate and speaker of the House of Representatives;

(g) one mathematics teacher who is designated NCLB highly qualified under rules of the State

Board of Education, appointed by the president of the Senate and speaker of the House of

Representatives; and

(h) one science teacher who is designated NCLB highly qualified under rules of the State Board of Education, appointed by the president of the Senate and speaker of the House of Representatives.

Respectfully,

Margaret Dayton Committee Chair

Voting: 5-1-2

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